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CUT OFF HER TRESSES.

A Bold Tramp Robs a St. Louis Girl of Her Hair.

When Miss Zertanna Refused to Give Her Dirty Visitor Fifty Cents He Clipped Off Her Fine Braid with a Butcher Knife.

Yesterday Miss Dora Zertanna, a bright young woman residing with her parents at 4371 Donovan avenue, St. Louis, was the owner of the most luxuriant suit of hair in the whole country adjacent to Forest park—a suit of hair that was at once her joy and pride and the envy of her less fortunate sisters and associates. To-day she mourns the loss of her flowing locks and the police are scouring the country in search of the miscreant who is responsible for the outrage.

At ten minutes before noon Miss Zertanna was in the kitchen of her home preparing dinner for the family, all of the members of which were temporarily absent from the house. Her father, Charles Zertanna, a carpenter, had returned from his work only a few minutes before. Finding his dinner not yet ready, he started over to Clayton avenue, only two squares away, to buy some nails. John Lawrence, a young man who had been calling at the house, had been gone about 20 minutes. Miss Zertanna, thus left alone, was hastening to get the dinner ready. She was leaning over the stove, with her back to the door, when somebody opened it and entered the kitchen without ceremony. It was a young man, apparently a tramp. He was roughly dressed and his trousers were too short. He wore a black cloth hat, carefully pulled down over his eyes. After reassuring himself that nobody except the young woman was present, he advanced towards her and gruffly demanded that she give him 50 cents.

"I have no money," declared Miss Zertanna, summoning all the courage she could and looking squarely into the tramp's face, which had been blackened for the occasion.

The tramp repeated his demand, and the frightened young woman declared she had no money.

"Then I'll take it out of you," exclaimed the tramp with great emphasis on the last word, and sprang forward and seized her by the throat.

Miss Zertanna was too badly frightened to scream, but she fought her assailant desperately and strove to remove his hands. But he was more than her match. Grasping her roughly by the shoulders, he turned her completely around, and in a twinkling had torn from her ears a pair of gold earrings, which her father had given her when she was only a baby, and which she prized far above their intrinsic worth.

Again seizing her by the throat, he drew forth a long and shining blade, apparently a butcher knife ground down to a fine point, and with it sawed back and forth on her thick braid of hair until it was completely severed. Calmly replacing the weapon in his pocket, and thrusting the hair in another, he walked out of the rear door, started for the front gate.

President Sutor.

"I am afraid," said the girl's father, "that Harold will not be much of a success in life."

"It seems very prudent and far-seeing," "In what way?"

"He said that if we were to marry he was sure that there was no reason why our lives should never know want."

"I'm. What makes him so sure?"

"He said he had looked up your rating in the commercial agencies,"—Washington Star.

Aristocratic Hens.

Neighbor—What beautiful hens you have, Mrs. Stuckup.

Mrs. Stuckup—Yes, they are all imported fowls.

Neighbor—You don't tell me so! I suppose they lay eggs every day?

Mrs. Stuckup (proudly)—They could do so if they saw proper, but our circumstances are such that my hens are not required to lay eggs every day.—Texas Sittings.

The Perseus Quest.

How long, oh, Lord, how long until Of foreign "jukes" we have our fill, And Yankee maidens, bright and gay, To all these "ferrie" dudes will say, "Let others o'er your lordship fuss, The Yankees duds'll do for us!"

JOHNNY'S BAD BREAK.

Johnny—Did they hurt you much at the lodge Saturday night, papa?

Papa—No, Johnny; why do you ask?

Johnny—Cause I heard Mr. Johnson say you were about half shot.—Puck.

The Wretch.

The invalid—I say, old dear, are there any left of those cigars you bought me for my birthday gift?

His Wife—Yes, several; but I thought you didn't like them.

He—Well, you see I'm dying for a smoke and the doctor told me this morning I must on no account take any tobacco.—London Fun.

Gallant Doubt.

A true Frenchman can turn a plain imputation upon veracity into a delicate compliment. A lady once said to a Frenchman who was complimenting her on her youthful appearance:

"But, sir, I am 40 years old!"

"Madame," answered the Frenchman, "I believe you'll kill what I hear, and that makes you 20!"

When They All Go.

Teacher—Tardy again, Johnny!

Johnny—Yeth.

Teacher—Don't know what's to become of that boy. What do you suppose'll become of you, Johnny, if you keep on this way?

Johnny—"I expect" dad'll hire me out to the district messenger office.—Chicago Record.

How He Got About It.

"Thy slender waist!" he exclaimed, soulfully.

"I wish I could suck her cheek."

"What," she faltered, "are you going to do about it?"

"And perhaps he didn't do a thing."—Detroit Tribune.

Very Large, Indeed.

"Poor Brown must have been terribly injured."

"What makes you think so?"

"That fellowed old fellow Jenkins says the wound looked to him to be about the size of a nickel!"—Chicago Record.

Sanguine.

Strawber—What, you've known her only two weeks and are engaged to her. That's doing well.

Singerly—It isn't half so well as I expected to do after we are married.—Detroit Free Press.

Only Himself to Blame.

Mr. Bellingham—I hear that young Mr. Gurley claims to be a self-made man.

Miss Millward—Well, everyone knows that he has made a fool of himself.—Bay City Chat.

Not Enough.

"He didn't have the sand to propose, did he, Bessie?"

"No, but she rejected him. She said that while he had the sand to propose he didn't have the rocks to marry."—Harper's Magazine.

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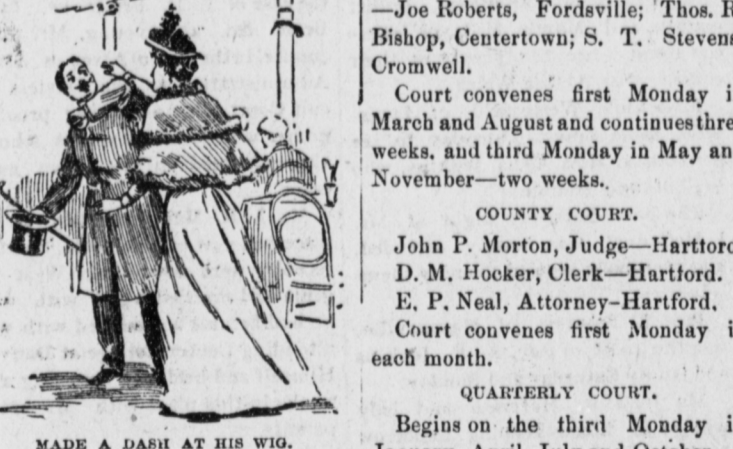
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ROMANCE OF A WIG.

Characteristic Parisian Love Story with a Tragic Ending.

A tragic ending to a comic scene in Paris has resulted in the heroine of the adventure being conveyed to the hospital in a very precarious state, while the hero is securely under lock and key at the depot of the prefecture of police. The whole affair turned on some silly fun and stupid horse play about a wig. A young man had been fascinated by the attractions of a girl a few years his junior, and had asked to be permitted to pay his attentions to her, but she was by no means disposed to return the compliment, as he had become very bald through illness, and, as the object



MADE A DASH AT HIS WIG.

of his affections concealingly put it, she would never dream of marrying anyone with no hair on his head.

The youth meditated over his discomfort, and then a happy thought flashed upon him. He would repair the ravages of unkind nature by a recourse to art, and forthwith he vended his way to hairdresser's shop and became the delighted possessor of a wig with curls and lovelocks and elaborate parting in front and behind, which, as he fondly hoped, would produce the desired impression on the heart of the obdurate young woman.

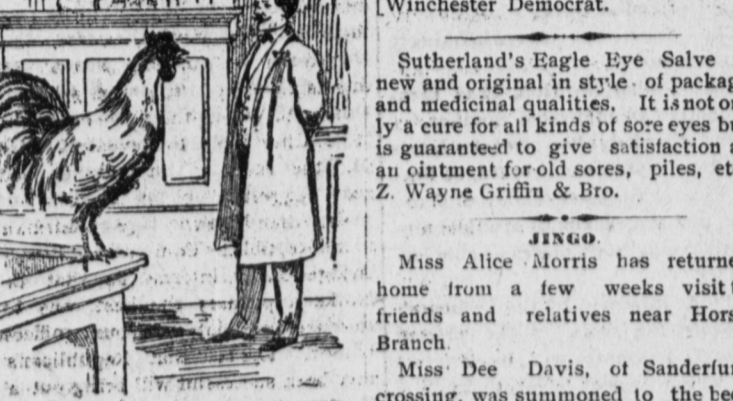
Thus adorned, he proceeded that evening to a restaurant where she was dining with some friends, but to his horror she not only burst out laughing when he appeared on the scene, but presently made a dash at his wig, which she tore off, revealing his denuded head to the astonished gaze of the party. The youth endeavored to wrest the wig from her grasp, and, so finding himself hard pressed, the fair incident passed it over to one of her companions, who tossed it to the other side of the room, and there, as ignorant of the fact he still struggled, she dealt him a slap in the face.

Beside himself with disappointment and wrath, the young man snatched a knife from the table, and ere the spectators of the scene could interpose he had stabbed the girl in the neck. Cries of dismay now resounded, instead of the peals of laughter which had hitherto rent the air, as the young woman fell fainting to the floor. The police were summoned, and while the youth was led off in custody the girl was taken to the shop of neighboring druggist, pending her removal to the hospital. It is feared that she will not recover.

ROOSTER AS WITNESS.

Extraordinary Testimony Introduced in a Georgia Law Court.

In the county court at Sylvania, Ga., a very extraordinary and amusing witness was introduced in a stealing case—the first of his kind, perhaps, that has ever appeared in any courthouse. This was a Domestic rooster. Two negro boys were prosecuted for stealing chickens from another negro. The prosecutor proved that his chickens were missing, and he claimed to have identified them in the yard of the accused.



It then devolved on the latter to prove their ownership.

One of the brightest young lawyers was conducting the defense, and he very ingeniously introduced in evidence the above-mentioned Domestic rooster, which belonged to the defendants, in order to show the similarity in appearance between his rooster and the suspected chickens. This rooster was lord of the barnyard on the place where the two boys lived, and the disputed chickens were so very much like him in color, and otherwise, that no one doubted they were his, legal descendants, and belonged to the defendants.

The rooster, when put on the stand, crowed vociferously, as if to proclaim the innocence of the accused, and furnished much amusement to the court. After hearing all the evidence, the judge discharged the prisoners and told the prosecutor that, while it was perhaps true he had lost his chickens, yet he was convinced that they had become the prey of owls or possums.

A Big African River.

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Sufferer—I've got a lump at back of my neck, can you give me something to cure it?
Chemist—I'm afraid I can't give you anything for it at the back of your neck; but I should advise you to keep your eye on it.

Mrs. Abbie J. Graham
After an illness of several weeks Mrs. Abbie Graham, one of our oldest citizens, died on Monday last at her home in the eastern part of town. She was about 67 years of age and was a lady held in high esteem by a large circle of friends for her kind deeds and Christian character.

Mrs. Graham was born in Ohio county, Kentucky, October 16, 1828. She was united in marriage to Mr. John Graham, and after marriage the couple moved to Posey county, locating in Bethel township. Mr. Graham died in 1853, and the family continued to reside in that township until a few years ago when they moved to Poseyville. She was a member of the Methodist Church, and took considerable interest in work pertaining to the church. She leaves six children: Ben Graham of Griffin, Mrs. McCrackin of Hartford, Ky., Mrs. Lizzie Murphy of Wayne City, Ill., Mrs. Nora Wilson, Maud and Anna Graham of this place.

The funeral was held at Griffin on Christmas morning, Rev. Carnes of this place conducting the exercises. The remains were followed to their last resting place in the Harris cemetery by a large circle of sorrowing relatives and friends.—(Poseyville, (Ind.) News, Dec. 26.)

It May Do as Much for You.
Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes that he had a Severe Kidney trouble for many years with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called Kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago he began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Electric Bitters is especially adapted to cure of all Kidney and Liver troubles and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statement. Price only 50c. At Williams & Bell Drug Store.

Chip In.
The Anaconda (Arizona) Recorder gets off this piece of journalistic philosophy which every newspaper man can fully appreciate. If everybody would act accordingly, the papers would fairly effervesce with local news and the society and personal columns would be more spicy than a woman's tea party.

Don't get mad if your visitor's name does not appear in the personal column. Perhaps you did not tell the editor—he's no mind reader. Don't get mad if your neighbor's doings are referred to more frequently than your own. Your modesty may be keeping you in obscurity. That's no dream. A newspaper man can't spend all his time on the street—and make three meals a day. If you know an item of news hold us up and give it out of your system. If we get it second-hand there will be a blunder in it. Give the reporter an item. It does not cost you anything and perhaps he may be able to reciprocate sooner than expected.

The Ideal Panacea.
James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an ideal Panacea for Coughs, Colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations."

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SHIRLEY CHAPEL.
Several farmers, from this locality,

went to Owensboro, this week with tobacco.
Mr. Woodward, Owensboro, spent a few days this week with his brother Mr. E. C. Woodward.
Hipsley Riggs, son of Mary Riggs, happened to quite a serious accident. Wednesday while hauling wood a log rolled over his leg and it is feared the bone is fractured.

Miss Mary Woodward is on the sick list this week.
Miss Fannie Hunter, accompanied by Misses Eva and Esther Bennett, and L. P. Bennett, visited her parents at McHenry last Saturday and Sunday.

The Epworth League at this place is still doing a good work among the young people.
Miss Janie and Mr. Dee Stewart attended the handkerchief party at Mr. Linzy Bennett's Tuesday evening they report a pleasant time.

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Deadly Revenge.
Ragged Hagard (at the door)—Madam, you see before you a conscience-stricken man! I kin bear de burden of me remorse no longer, an' have come to confess me crime. I killed me old podner, Wabby Walker, in cold blood—or mobby I ort to say water.

Mrs. Newbridge—Oh, what can you mean, my poor man?
Ragged Hagard—You remember you gimme a hunk of fruit cake yesterday, which you told me you had made with your own hands?

Mrs. Newbridge—Yes, but—
Ragged Hagard—'Tis outer revenge for an insult, I gave it to poor Wabby, an' in less 'n haffer pour after eatin' it he fell into de river an' sunk to de bottom like lead.—(Harper's Bazar.

He's Awful.
I think that Harry's awful! I'd never have thought it, yet he put his arm around me. The very first time we met I think that he's too awful! Why last night in the Grand Old Right and Left, he really—he really squeezed my hand! I think that Harry's awful! Last night he kissed me twice! I think that he's just awful. But I think he's awful nice.—(N. Y. World.

A Safe Bet.
Lady (very plain)—Well, what do you want?
Tramp—Me and me pal's left a dispute to you, mum.

Lady—What is the dispute?
Tramp—As to whether you looks more like Mrs. Langtry or Mary Anderson. We had a bet of a lunch on it, mum, and if you'd kindly decide the bet and advance us the lunch, we'd be much obliged.

They got the lunch.—(N. Y. Recorder.

Taken Orders.
Mrs. Jones—And so your son left college and has taken orders.
Mrs. Smith—Yes, and I think he will now be successful in ministering to humanity.

Mrs. Jones—Has he entered the Episcopal church?
Mrs. Smith—Oh, no, he hasn't entered any church; he is a waiter in a restaurant.—(Texas Sittings.

The Usual Fate.
Brown—You looks as if you had the blues.

Robinson—So I have. I've lost my beautiful new silk umbrella.
"Where did you lose it?"
"I didn't leave it anywhere. The owner met me and took it away from me."—(Spare Moments.

A Factions Judge.
Judge—What's the charge?
Policeman—Drunk, your honor.

Judge (to prisoner)—What's your name?
Prisoner—Well, Gunn.

Judge—Well, Gunn, I'll discharge you this time, but you mustn't get loaded again.—(Texas Sittings.

It Will Not Answer.
Spats—What do you think of the new French idea of curing diseases by the application of cold?

Bloomer—I don't think there can be anything in it. If the theory were true, a man who happened to be married to a Boston woman would never be ill.—(To Date.

To Be Expected.
Customer—See here! all the buttons came off this coat the first time I wore it.

Dealer—Yah. So many boobies admire dot coat, you shew up with mid and burst dose buttons off.—(N. Y. Weekly.

What She Said.
A charming young belle of the Sioux Stopped over to lace up her shawl, But she said as she laced, "I must have these replaced. For I see they no longer will do."—(Chicago Record.

SHEWED YOUNGSTER.



Mother—Tommy, why don't you give your little brother half of your apple?

Tommy—Can't do it, ma. Father tells me never to do things by halves.—(Texas Sittings.

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